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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

THROUGH : Director, Office of Research & Reports

1. I am most grateful for your excellent performance and cooperation as a team chief in the CIA Operations Center throughout the active play of [REDACTED] between 16 and 24 October 1966. 25X1A2d2

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2. As you know, this is the first full completion in the series of [REDACTED] exercises that CIA has been directly involved in. Effective Agency participation depended on the team's ability to evaluate incoming message traffic, prepare comprehensive briefings and serve as an operating base during the period of the exercise. This was accomplished by temporarily assigned personnel like yourself who, with little advance notice, successfully molded together an operating team and adjusted to a variety of strange duties, contacts and responsibilities. Your unstinting cooperation and sensible actions throughout the exercise played an important role in making the Agency's role in [REDACTED] a significant success.

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Signed

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[REDACTED]  
Chief, CIA Operations Center

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